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Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's letter mailed August 20, 2003, attached is the complete list of claims for the Amendment and Response mailed on August 8, 2003.

Applicants note that the date mailed is August 8, 2003, which is also considered the date filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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